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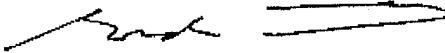
Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the restriction requirement in the Action mailed 05/21/2002, Applicants elect Group I (claims 1-21) without traverse. As the restriction requirement in relation to the other identified Groups is moot in the present case, Applicant reserves the right to contest restriction as between the non-elected Groups in any subsequent continuation or divisional application.

If the Examiner is of the view that there are any outstanding issues which might be resolved by means of a telephone conference, he is invited to call Gordon Stewart at (650)485-2386.

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